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THE REGULAR COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES OF THE NORMAL SCHOOL WILL BE ON NEXT WEEK.

THE THIRD YEAR CLASS STARTS THE BALL TO ROLLING ON-MONDAY NIGHT.

Normal School will begin Monday evening and continue until June 15. Some excellent programs will be rendered and the attendance promises to is the first year for this class to appear with a program. The following invitation is out:

You are cordially invited to attend the exercises of the Third Year Class of the Fairmont State Normal School

Monday Evening, June 6th at 8 o'clock

garnet. The motto is "Work, Work,

Work," and the yell, Riffle, Raffle, Riffle, Raffle,

Riffle, Raffle, Rix, F. S. N. S., 1906

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Stell Woofter. The following is the program for Monday night:

Church, Fairmont. Recitation-Subject, "Losing Mr.

Stubbin;" Miss Julia Hurst, Jarvisville, Harrison county.

Class Prophet-Miss Ola Lloyd Mannington, Marion county.

Music-Miss Nellie Brant, West

ion, Doddridge county. ss Orator-Subject, "The Louis-Purchase," Mr. Guy Burnside,

THE POSTMASTER GENERAL WOULD LIKE TO RUN THE PRESIDENTIAL CAM-PAIGN IF HIS HEALTH WILL PERMIT.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 3.-Postmas ter General Payne would like to be Chairman of the Republican National Committee and believes that his health has improved sufficiently to warrant him in undertaking the management of the coming campaign, according to friends who recently have been in Chicago. Members of the National Committee who are to arrange for the convention, verify the report that Secretary Cortelyou is the choice of President Rooseveit for campaign manager, but hints have been thrown out that this selection is not entirely approved by the practical politicians.

Political leaders go so far as io declare that inasmuch as the President has refused to dictate or take sides in any of the contests involved in the National convention, he may be willing to leave the matter of campaign management to politicians of greater experience than he possesses, and in this event a movement in favor of Mr. Payne is likely to be given a decided impetus.

NEW WABASH PROPOSITION.

Scheme Aims to Prevent Immediate Market For Bonds.

NEW YORK, June 3 .- A new proposition has been made to members of the Wabash-Pittsburg syndicate and has been accepted by nearly all. The proposition is intended to prevent any attempt to make a market immediately for the securities to be received by the syndicate members.

The proposed plan contemplates the carrying of the \$13,400,000 first mort gage bonds, \$20,000,000 second mort gage incomes and \$10,000,000 Wabash common stock for an indefinite pe riod. The terms of the syndicate agreement are, of course, kept secret. It is understood the Pittsburg members of the syndicate have not participated in the agreement.

Struck With Track Wrench.

MONTGOMERY, W. Va., June 3 .-Thomas Dawson, an enthusiastic section hand of the division commanded by Admiral Coleman, rose up yesterday morning and swiped Manuel Trent of the "cocoa" with a track wrench and put that gentleman out of business. The wrench used is a bar of steel about three feet long, and besides th purpose for which Mr. Dawson used it, it can be used for tightening bolts in the rails. A more formidable weapon could not be found. While Trent is not dead, he is greatly discouraged, though he may recover. Dawson is on his way to the Werld's Fair, traveling in an easterly direc

Thought to Have Been Murdered. CHARLESTON, W. Va., June 3 .-A man who is thought to be Richard Young, of Porter's creek, was found dead in a lumber car. Young is known to have had considerable money with him, and this was gone when he was found. He is thought to have been murdered.

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WHILE SOME ARE BREAKING AWAY THE MASTERS AND PILOTS SAY IT IS NOT OVER YET.

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 3.-Captain M. M. Drake, who sailed the Chili out of Buffalo in an effort to break the water blockade on the Great Lakes. is a former Commissioner of Public Works of this city.

Word reached here that he went aground with his craft at the lower end of Point Blanc landing near the mouth of the Detroit river. A wrecking company has sent tugs to his aid. in thirty years. The propeller Veconica and the schooner Amboy, of the Tonawanda Iron and Steel Company's leet, sailed yesterday, with Captain Frum on the bridge of the Veronica. He has quit the Masters' and Pilots' Association. The propeller Oceanica of the same fleet, also came up from Tonawanda and went in to the Erie dock to load coal. Captain Vandusen commanded her. He was a member of the Pilots' and Masters' Association. While the boat lay at the dock pickets induced him to leave the boat. His desertion prevented the Oceanica from leaving last night.

A member of the Masters' and Pilots' Association last night said in refcrence to the rumor of a settlement that had spread along the water "The Lake Carriers' Associa front: tion in its endeavors to induce the mates to take positions on boats, spread the statement that the trouble between the association and the Masters' and Pilots' had been settled. The Masters' and Pilots' wish the public to know there has been no settlement. When one is reached it will be finmediately announced by our officials.

PROGRAM

Arranged For the Commencement Exercises at Shepherd College.

SHEPHERDSTOWN, W. Va., June .--Programs have been issued for the annual commencement exercises at Shepherd College. The principal exercises will be the dedication of the new collège building, June 9th. The building cost \$35,000 and is one of the inest normal schools in the Stare. The commencement will be held in the evening of that day. The gradnates are: Elizabeth Price Butler. David Hamme Hill, John Ernest Hill. Ada May Knode, John William Link, Jacob Hugh Miller, Philip Randolph Moler, Mathew Kyne Rightstine, Louise Anna Snyder, Joseph Irwin Triplett, Ethel Walter.

All of the latest telegraphic and local news will be found in the West Virginian.

REV. I. A. BARNES

Who Was Called to the Bedside c His Mother, is Summoned to Pittsburg.

Rev. I. A. Barnes, who was called ere a few days ago on account of the illness of his mother, was called back to his home in Pittsburg last night because of the illness of his caughter, who has pneumonia. Mrs. Barnes is no better.

Funeral of Fred Randall.

The funeral services of Fred Randall, who was killed in the railroad yards, were held in the Central Christian church this afternoon at two o'clock. Mr. Randall was not a member of the Brotherhood but would have been had he been working on the road long enough. The Brother-Captain Drake has not sailed the lake hood attended the funeral. The services were conducted by Rev. Lucz. pastor of the church. Interment was made in Woodlawn cemetery.

T. F. Randall, father of the de ceased, lives at Rivesville, but the son had been living with his aunt at Shinnston. He had been on the road only a few weeks. He was doing his work well and would have been a good man on the road.

The Russia Exhibit.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 3 .- The Novoe Vremya states that Russian exhibitions for the St. Louis Exhibition have been organized by private initiative. Eight hundred pictures and objects of workmanship of Russians will shortly be shipped.

Marshall Bunner Dead.

Marshall, the 13-year-old son of Mrs. Sarah Bunner, living out the Morgantown pike beyond the First ward, died this morning, of fever. He had been sick for some time. The funeral will take place to-morrow at two o'clock. The remains will be buried in Meadowdale cemetery.

Estimated Population. WASHINGTON, D. C., June 3 .-Based on an estimated population of the United States of 81,752,000, there is \$30.69 in circulation for every man, woman and child in the country. This is 33 cents less than the per capita circulation on May 1, which decrease may be accounted for largely by the export of so much gold coin during the past month in payment for

Asleen at the Court-house.

the Panama canal.

Officer Morris found a man asleep in the basement of the Court-house this afternoon. That is against the rule at the big house and so the fellow was taken to other quarters.

In Circuit Court.

John Patton has entered suit in scire facias against M. A. Jolliffe. Attorney Kemble White represents the

The W. R. Jenkinson Company has entered suit in chancery against Charles M. Floyd et al.

THE BUSINESS MAN,



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FOR RENT-At Oakland, Md., in suburbs of town, a summer cottage, 7 rooms, large lawn, white oak grove, large barn and carriage house, adjoining Judge Jeremy Wilson's property. \$25.00 per month. Address C. B. Cropp, Oakland, Md.

Hot plates, oil stoves, ice cream freezers, garden hose, lawn sprinklers, water coolers, screen doors and win dows, are some of the summer necessities to be found at J. L. Hall's Hardware Store.

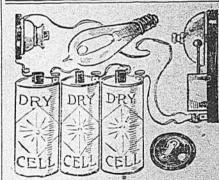
Kentucky Horses For Sale.

Twenty-two head of fine Kentucky horses, saddlers and drivers will be sold by T. O. HARGIS, at public auction on

Saturday, June 4,

at the stables of CHILSON & CLAY-TOR, on Jackson street.

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Thirty-eight inches wide, worth 121/20, for 7c; 15c White Goods, Special,

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A lot of regular 10c ginghams for these three days at 5c a yard.

See the new Duck and Pique Street Hats at 98c, \$1.48 and \$1.98, also our line of children's mull hats.

Page enlighted We are cleaning up this

line. Get our prices on same.

Wood county. Class Grumbler-Mr. Frank Reeves, Fairmont, Marion county. Music-Duet-Misses Riley and Pople, Fairmont, Marion county. Response to Junior Presentation Address-Miss Zoe Wade, Fairmont, Marion county. Presentation Address to Second Year Students-Mr. E. C. Wilson, Hoodsville, Marion county, Fairmont, Marion county.

The commencement exercises of the be large. On Monday evening the third year class will hold forth. This

Normal Auditorium. The invitation is a beautiful one, embodying the class colors, tan and

The following is the class roll:

Mabel Curry,

Hays Elliott,

Mary Heck. Edna Menear,

E. C. Wilson.

Prayer-Rev. Eddy, First Baptist own to-day.

Class Historian-Mr. Dana Feather, Lenox, Preston county.

irg, Harrison county. lon-Subject, "Jem's Last

to be sung, and which is familiar to a great number of the people of the

rion county.

mont. Marion county.

"Fairmont *State Normal School." Tune-"Annie Lisle." By the swift Monongahela, with its waters blue,

"Somedoin's"-Mr. Oliver Shurtleff,

Music-Miss Lucy Morrow, Fair-

Recitation-Subject, "Jolly Brick;"

Mr. Carney Christie, Fairmont, Ma-

Class Will-Read by Miss Rena

Crow, Glen Easton, Marshall county.

School Song-Class and Audience.

We give the school song which is

our noble Alma Mater, glorious to view, Far above the noisy humming of the busy town-Reared against the Arch of Heaven,

looks she proudly down.

Corus:-Raise the chorus, speed it onward, Ever thou shalt rule. Hail to thee, our Alma Mater,

Fairmont Normal School. Firm upon a South Side hill top rise her red brick walls, may her sons and daughters press on through her halls,

with moments swiftly flying ages roll between. Sons as yet unborn shall hail thee, Alma Mater, Queen.

Chorus: -Hear the rippling of the waters as they glide along, Listen to the mountain breezes, West

Students join in shouts of gladness, and the echoed call, proclaim the Fairmont Normal

is the best of all. THINKS THEY WERE FISHERMEN.

Patrolman Auburn's Theory Of the South Side Mystery.

WHEELING, W. Va., June 3.- Patrolman Auburn, of the police force, thinks that the four men who carried a bundle over the river bank between Forty-second and Forty-third streets early Wednesday morning, were fishermen. Officer Auburn was one of those who made a thorough search of the river bank after the police had been notified. He is of the opinion

that there was no foul play. Ex-Mayor Chas. Straub, of Grafton, spent last night in town.

H. P. Ecker, the Allegheny organst, was in town to-day.

R. L. Cunningham went to Mt. Lake this afternoon. Harry Ridwell is up from Morgan-

Mrs. Mary Humphrey Elliott and Irs. James Ewing, of Pittsburg, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sample, They are here for the Roberts-Watherwax wedding.

tt, Laura Lewis and Eunice Lewis eft yesterday for the Fair at St. Louis. Braided insertions to be used as headlings for fringe are new in the es Stella Woofter, Lubeck, shop.

Misses Sarah Morgan, Evelyn Prick-